

...for all from the bill for the 31st was ...there had been ...commitments to jail during the quarter of which at least 3,000 were from New Castle. This is an average of over 33 per day for every day in the week, from a city of about 5,000 inhabitants and only about 700 or an average of 8 per day from the rest of the county including the city of Wilmington. This mere statement should and does prove conclusively that there is a fraud somewhere. At and rate it was conclusive enough for the comptroller to refuse to approve the claim of the Sheriff and thus throw the responsibility upon the Levy Court. This opens anew the subject of these commitments and affords the Attorney General another avenue of investigation. There is no doubt that the county has paid out many thousands of dollars for commitments, and board of prisoners, when the prisoners had nothing but a paper existence. As the Mayor receives forty cents for committing a man to jail, the Sheriff fifty-three cents for locking him up, and at least two days board amounting to forty cents, the total cost attached to each commitment is \$1.33. There fore the amount involved in the 3000 under question is now less than \$4,000 for three months or \$16,000 for a year.

THE STEEL STRIKE

To-day marks the beginning of what promises to be a serious fight between capital represented by the Billion dollar Steel Trust and labor as represented by the Amalgamated Association with the Confederation of Labor in the background as a possible ally of the Association. At least one hundred thousand and perhaps two hundred thousand men will obey the strike order issued by President Shaffer. And these are not common laborers but largely expert steel workers making "good money." President Shaffer has said in an interview that he was able to make \$23 per day and that he knew many workers whose pay was over \$300 per week. This strike means that from half a million to a million people will have their income cut off and that if there is any suffering it will be the innocent women and children dependent on the strikers who will feel its effects. In addition to what the men lose, the Steel Trust is bound to lose, but as proven by the Coal strike of last year, capital knows how to make the consumer pay its losses, while laborers losses are never recovered. The greatest fear is that riot and bloodshed such as prevailed in 1895 at the time of the Carnegie Strike, may again rule.

Question Answered

Yes, August Flower still has the largest sale of any medicine in the civilized world. Your mothers' and grandmothers' never thought of using anything else for Indigestion or Bilelessness. Doctors were scarce, and the seldom heard of Appenidixitis, Nervous Prostration or Heart Failure, etc. They used August Flower to clean out the system and stop fermentation of undigested food, regulate the action of the liver, stimulate the nervous organization of the system, and that is all they took when feeling dull and bad with headaches and other aches. You only need a few doses of Green's August Flower, in liquid form, to make you satisfied there is nothing serious the matter with you. Get Green's Prize Almanac. For sale by J. S. & W. Lattin, Town send, Del.

BRIDGE AT FREDERICKTOWN

The county Commissioners of Kent and Cecil counties, Md., in joint session at the office of the County Commissioners in Elkton on Wednesday received bids for the construction of an iron bridge over Sassafras River as follows:

Iron Bridge—American Bridge Company, \$10,122; York Bridge Company, \$7,770; King Bridge Company, \$7,850; Wood Bridge—American Bridge Company, \$8,990; George W. Peterson, \$7,000; York Bridge Company, \$6,665.

The Commissioners decided to accept bids for an iron bridge and awarded contract to York Bridge Company, they being the lowest bidders.

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A powder to be shaken into the shoes. Your feet feel swollen, nervous and hot, and get tired easily. If you have smarting feet or tight shoes, try Allen's Foot-Ease. It cools the feet, and makes walking easy. Cures swollen, sweating feet, ingrowing nails, blisters and callous spots. Relieves corns and bunions of all pain and gives rest and comfort. Try it to-day. Sold by all druggists and shoe stores for 25c. Trial package FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Lefroy, N. Y.

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...Miss Florence Eaton, of New Castle, is visiting her parents.

...The dyke on Dan Baker Shoals will be finished this month.

...Mr. and Mrs. George McCoy visited in Philadelphia this week.

...Miss Nellie Yearley, of Middletown, visited her parents on Sunday.

...Mr. A. Cordrey, of Augustine Park, was in St. Georges on Wednesday.

...Mr. John Wallan spent Saturday and Sunday at Philadelphia and Camden.

...Mr. Harry McNally, of Philadelphia, visited his parents Friday and Saturday.

...Messrs. Abraham Vandegrift and W. H. Hall were in Middletown on Wednesday.

...A number of people from here went on the excursion to Washington Park on Wednesday.

...Mr. Rufus Stewart, of Newark, spent part of this week with his sister, Miss Emma Stewart.

...Misses Carrie and Lina Bendler have returned home after a pleasant visit with Chester friends.

...Mrs. J. R. Conard, of Milford, is spending a month with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Kumpel.

...Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carly, of Middletown, spent Sunday with their daughter, Rufus Yearley.

...Mr. and Mrs. George Lockerman, of Camden, N. J., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kershaw.

...The Kent County Mutual Insurance Company have had two ladders made which they propose to present to the village for use if a fire should occur, but on condition that they shall be used or loaned for no other purpose whatever.

EARLEVILLE NOTES

...Mrs. Sadie Husefelt has a very sick baby.

...Mrs. William Templeton and father are very ill with typhoid fever.

...Miss Jennie Brown, of Wilmington, is the guest of Miss Arrie Duhamel.

...Mr. and Mrs. John Rowan spent Monday afternoon with relatives in Cecilton.

...Mrs. William Rowan is entertaining her cousin, Mrs. William Cartel, of Wilmington.

...Mrs. John Biddle, of Philadelphia, was the guest of the family of Mr. William J. Duhamel this week.

...Mrs. Clara Rowan, wife of Harry Rowan, and daughter of William J. Duhamel, died at her home in Cecilton on August 3d, and was buried on Wednesday afternoon. Services at the M. E. Church at Cecilton. Interment at the Presbyterian Cemetery at Georgetown, Kent County.

...This loved one from us has fled To realms of bliss above, Then why should tears by us be shed The shades her Maker's love.

...The pearls gates were opened wide, Then said and sure she rode Across the surging treacherous tide, To the right hand of God.

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"Something New Under the Sun."

All Doctors have tried to cure CATARRH by the use of powders, acid cases, inhalers and drugs in paste form. Their powders dry up the mucous membranes causing them to crack open and bleed. The powerful acids used in the inhalers have entirely eaten away the same membranes that their makers have aimed to cure, while pastes and ointments cannot reach the disease. An old and experienced practitioner who has for many years made a close study and specialty of the treatment of CATARRH, has at last perfected a Treatment which when faithfully used, not only relieves at once, but permanently cures CATARRH by removing the cause, stopping the discharges, and curing all inflammation. It is the only remedy known to science that actually reaches the afflicted parts. This wonderful remedy is known as "SNUFFLES the GUARANTEED CATARRH CURE" and is sold at the extremely low price of One Dollar, each package containing internal and external medicine sufficient for a full month's treatment and everything necessary to its perfect use.

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CAPTAIN COLEE DEAD

Captain B. Frank Colee died at his residence in Fredericktown, Md., on Saturday, July 27th, after a brief illness of pneumonia, aged 68 years. Captain Colee, who was born in Fredericktown in 1836, was for quite a number of years captain of a vessel plying between Georgetown and Baltimore. Later he became engaged in the fishery business on Elk river. A widow and ten children, all of whom were married, survive him. Funeral services were held on the following Tuesday from the Galena Catholic Church, interment being made in the church burying ground near Lambson's. The bearers were as follows: J. Fletcher Wilson, N. Scotten, J. Hudson, J. P. Hall, John Walmsley and Joseph Brown.

Severely Burned by Molten Iron

Mr. J. Wesley Start was painfully burned at his blacksmith shop at Smyrna on Saturday, which but for a happy action might have resulted more seriously. He was welding pieces of iron together when an end broke off and struck him in the stomach, rolling down into the waistband of his trousers, and down his left leg. It was a painful predicament, and hastiness in tearing apart his trousers, saved him from much more serious burns.

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DELAWARE CITY

Rev. Mr. Baum preached in Christ Church Sunday evening.

Mrs. N. George Price and daughter are visiting friends in Philadelphia.

The "Smart Set" gave a social dance Saturday evening in Assembly Hall.

The Presbyterian Church will not be closed as reported during this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Jarrell are enjoying a few days visit at Brandywine Camp.

Dr. Fritz has opened his drug store and has procured the services of an efficient druggist.

The house on Washington street, below Fourth, that H. C. Clark is building, is about completed.

Mr. and Mrs. George C. Bennett, of Quarryville, Pa., were guests of relatives in town a few days.

William A. Anderson is building a stable and carriage house on the lot adjoining his house on Fourth street.

The ice house built by H. C. Clark on the wharf back of Chairs' store has not been used for some time, and was torn down this week.

The cellar is being dug for a house for John Johnson on Fifth street, near the house of H. C. Clark, now occupied by Captain La Fite.

The work at the bulkhead at Dan Baker Shoals is progressing so rapidly it is thought it will be finished by the close of the present month.

The new house on Clinton street, above Third, is progressing. All the frame is up and appearances indicate that it will be a large and handsome structure.

The foundations are now laid and the other work will proceed on three new houses that are to be erected for officers quarters on the government land adjoining Port du Pont.

If the government takes the lots on the east side of Port Penn road as is anticipated, the U. A. M. E. Church will probably be moved to the ground adjoining the school house on the west side of the road.

The old ice house on Dutch Neck causeway was destroyed by fire last Sunday afternoon. The fire was probably caused by the carelessness of boys or tramps. It had not been in use for some time and was a decrepit affair.

Rev. Dr. W. M. Jeffers, of Calvary Church, Wilmington, officiated on Friday at the funeral of Purnell Webb, a former resident of our town. Mr. Webb died in Wilmington, and his remains were brought here for interment in the Delaware City Cemetery.

We learn by Philadelphia papers that it has been discovered that there is an old curfew law in Wilmington that has never been repealed. A gentleman delayed by a detailed trolley car did not reach Delaware City the other night until 2.30 A. M., and he says it surprised him very much to find that even at that hour there were no children on the streets.

Mr. Frank Bruner has added another industry to Delaware City. In this case it is a cigar factory in the second story of his store house on the wharf at the foot of Clinton street. It is under the management of W. R. Patterson, late of Philadelphia. Mr. Patterson has an intimate knowledge of the tobacco business in all its forms. For several years he has been engaged in the wholesale trade in Philadelphia and Richmond, Va., and evidently has the knowledge, skill and judgment to establish and maintain a flourishing business.

ATLANTIC CITY

Special Excursions via Pennsylvania Railroad, Delaware River Bridge Route

On Thursday, August 8, and Tuesday, August 27, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company (Philadelphia, Wilmington and Baltimore Railroad Company) will run special low-rate excursions to Atlantic City via the Delaware River Bridge Route without change of cars. A through special train will be run on the following schedule, and round trip tickets will be sold at the rates quoted:—

Train Leaves.	Rate.
Leave Delmar.....Del. 4.30 A. M.	\$2.50
" Laurel....." 4.30 "	" 2.50
" Seaford....." 4.40 "	" 2.25
" Cannon....." 4.48 "	" 2.25
" Bridgeville....." 4.54 "	" 2.25
" Greenwood....." 5.02 "	" 2.25
" Farmington....." 5.10 "	" 2.25
" Harrington....." 5.21 "	" 2.00
" Felton....." 5.31 "	" 2.00
" Viola....." 5.35 "	" 2.00
" Woodside....." 5.39 "	" 2.00
" Wyoming....." 5.45 "	" 2.00
" Dover....." 5.52 "	" 2.00
" Cheswate....." 6.01 "	" 2.00
" Brenford....." 6.06 "	" 2.00
" Clayton....." 6.14 "	" 2.00
" Townsend....." 6.27 "	" 2.00
" Middletown....." 6.36 "	" 2.00
" Mt. Pleasant....." 6.44 "	" 2.00
" Kirkwood....." 6.53 "	" 2.00
" Porter....." 6.58 "	" 2.00
" Bear....." 7.03 "	" 2.00
" New Castle....." 7.12 "	" 1.75
" Wilmington....." 7.30 "	" 1.50
" Chester.....Pa. 7.52 "	" 1.50
Arrive At'le City N.J. 10.07 "	"

Children between five and twelve years one-half of the above rates.

Returning, special train leaves Atlantic City 6.00 P. M.

New Three-Cent Piece

The new three-cent piece to be issued by the Government has already been styled the doughnut coin by reason of the fact that the piece is to have a hole in the center. The innovation in the coinage of a part of Uncle Sam's money was deemed necessary from the fact that the coin is the exact size and of the same material as the present five-cent piece. It was impossible to keep the old style three-cent piece in circulation because of the aptitude of the people to mistake it for the dime or ten-cent piece.

SPECIAL AUGUST SALE

The prompt and liberal buying that has followed our first announcement demonstrates to our complete satisfaction that our do-as-we-say policy is appreciated.

The Prudent Housewife

Will give especial attention to the special here advertised. It's the must-have things of the household at $\frac{1}{2}$ to $\frac{1}{3}$ saving.

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Odd pairs and half pairs of Portieres or Tapestry:

1 pair \$15.00 to \$10.00
1 pair 20.00 to 13.33
1 pair 13.00 to 8.67
1 pair 11.50 to 7.67

$\frac{1}{2}$ pair \$ 7.25 to \$ 5.00
$\frac{1}{2}$ pair 7.50 to 5.00
$\frac{1}{2}$ pair 7.75 to 4.25
$\frac{1}{2}$ pair 5.50 to 4.00
$\frac{1}{2}$ pair 3.00 to 2.00
$\frac{1}{2}$ pair 2.50 to 1.25

LACE CURTAINS.

All odd pairs at $\frac{1}{2}$ price.

Nottinghams:	
\$3.00 curtains \$2.50	
2.50 " 2.00	
2.25 " 1.87	
2.00 " 1.70	
1.25 " 1.00	
Arabians—There are but two patterns, but they are good.	
\$8.00 curtains \$5.00	
9.00 " 7.00	
Irish Points:	
\$10.00 curtains \$8.50	
8.50 " 6.50	
6.50 " 5.00	
5.00 " 4.00	
4.50 " 3.00	

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Mrs. THOMAS MASSEY, DEALER IN

Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, and Silverware.

Also a large stock of Cut Glass and various articles in gold and silver for wedding and birthday gifts. Repairing and Silversmithing a Specialty.

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A DANCE will be Given Every THURSDAY EVENING.

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OUR ROCKER SALE.

Rattan Porch Rockers.

We sold them all Summer for \$1.75,

Now \$1.25.

Another in solid golden oak or imitation mahogany, wood or cobbler seat, fine finish, regular price, \$3.00,

Now \$1.49.

\$ 3.75 Rockers at \$2.50
4.50 " 3.75
5.00 " 4.00
6.00 " 4.75
8.00 " 7.00
10.00 " 7.50

All carpets made, laid and lined free of charge this sale.

Goods stored for future delivery free.

Traveling expenses of out-of-town patrons allowed.

Bedding.

Full 50 lb. mattresses of mixed hair, best fancy striped tick, regular price \$8.00.

This Sale \$5.00.

Pure horse hair, full 40 lbs., best tick, From \$14.00 to \$9.75.

Pure South American long hair, of best quality, fancy tick, full 40 lbs., From \$18.00 to \$12.00.

Bed Springs.

Upholstered box springs, fancy ticking, From \$10.00 to \$8.50.

Spiral springs, all iron, folding, From \$3.75 to \$2.75.

Cotton Felt Mattresses.

Best felted white cotton, inperial edge, 6 in. box,

From \$15.00 to \$12.50.

Best cotton felt, 4 in. box, full 40 lbs., From \$13.00 to \$10.00.

Our combination cotton felt is made of African fibre centre and cotton felt on both sides, springy, sanitary and comfortable.

Regular price \$5.75. This Sale \$4.25.

Blankets.

About 500 pairs bought for this sale.

\$3.00 blankets, \$2.55

4.00 blankets, 3.40

OUR LEADER.

\$5.00 blankets, \$3.98

5.50 blankets, 4.67

6.00 blankets, 5.10

6.50 blankets, 5.52

6.75 blankets, 5.75

7.50 blankets, 6.37

Comforters.

DOWN COMFORTS.

\$ 5.50 to \$4.00

6.50 to 4.25

7.50 to 5.00

10.00 to 7.50

COTTON COMFORTS.

\$1.25 to \$1.10

1.75 to 1.50

2.25 to 2.00

2.50 to 2.25

3.00 to 2.50

Pillows and Bolsters

Mixed feathers, 20x30, each \$1.25

Mixed feathers, 20x56, each 2.50

Live geese, 22x30, each 1.25

Live geese, 22x56, each 3.75

Sheets and Pillow Cases.

21x22 Mohawk, 60c. to 49c.

8 1/2x22 Utica, 90c. to 79c.

Slips.

36x42 Mohawk, 12 1/2 to 10c.

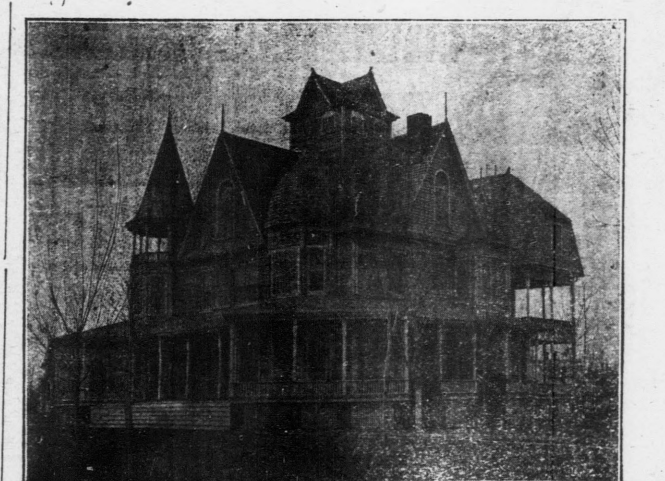
72x42 Mohawk, 25 to 20c.

36x42 Utica, 18 to 15c.

36x45 Utica, 20 to 17c.

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The Middletown Transcript

Trains Leave Middletown as Follows:
North Bound—3.30, 7.30, 9.30 and 10.35 a. m.
South Bound—1.15, 3.15, 5.15, 7.15, 9.15, 11.15 a. m.; 1.15, 3.15, 5.15, 7.15, 9.15, 11.15 p. m.

Mails Close as Follows:
Going North—7.30 a. m., 10.05 a. m., 3.55 and 6.40 p. m.
Going South—3.10 a. m., 5.10 p. m.
For Odessa—3.10 a. m., 1.40 p. m., 5.30 p. m.
For Warwick, Cecilton, Marlville and Haverhill—1.25, 3.15 and 11.50 a. m.; 3.55 and 7.51 p. m.

MIDDLETOWN, DEL., AUGUST 10, 1901.
Local News.

Full line of Fresh Groceries at E. F. INGRAM'S.
Good Prunes 5 cents lb.
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Fresh Fish and Clams daily at reasonable prices.
E. F. INGRAM.
Arbuckle's Coffee 2 lbs for 25 cents.
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TRUNKS.—See the Dr. Rorick Pneumatic Trunk, strong, durable, sure holder.—BRADGON & CO.

When in town stop in and get our prices, we can save you dollars.—MIDDLETOWN GROCERY HOUSE.

100,000 Tomato Plants Variety "Improved Stone" ready to set. E. J. STEELE Florist, Middletown, Del.

For SALE.—Lady's Bicycle in excellent order; sold for the benefit of the school. Will be sold cheap. Apply at this office.

A cash discount of 20 per cent. on \$1.00 or over for wood work. All jobs guaranteed. Hay riggins for sale.

WANTED.—Eggs and Spring Chickens. Highest cash prices paid.—H. S. BEASTON & Co., Broad and Lake Streets.

Dr. G. B. Pearson offers his professional services to the citizens of Middletown and vicinity. Consultation at office free.

Brown's Antidote for headache, 4 doses 10 cents at Bradgon's.

Have you seen E. F. Ingram's 10 cent and 25 cent Children's Hats.

For SALE.—Early Cabbage in large quantities. Orders by mail or phone will receive prompt attention.—Phone No. 7, MIDDLETOWN GROCERY HOUSE.

A special sale of Wash Skirts and Shirt Waists at E. F. Ingram's to-day.

Large quantity of Rock Salt for the Spring trade.—H. C. DeVALINGER.

200,000 Late Cabbage Plants for sale, now ready, at STEELE'S GREEN HOUSES, Middletown, Del.

The latest creations of the milliner's art at moderate prices.—E. F. INGRAM.

This is to let every one know that they can be cured of that headache by taking Brown's Antidote. Bradgon sells it for 10 cents.

Mr. Caleb Price has sold his farm containing 202 acres, situated near Chesapeake City, to Mr. George Janvier of this town for \$12,000.

We are buying about 500 dozen of eggs per week, but would like to have double that quantity. Bring them along and turn them into cash.—MIDDLETOWN GROCERY HOUSE.

It is reported that the New Castle and Delaware City Company intends to begin work soon on its proposed Middletown extension. The road will pass through St. Georges and Odessa.

The first shipment of peaches from Middletown this season was made last Friday by John W. Jolls. They were of the Early Triumph variety and were grown by Mr. Fred Williams.

Quite a number of our citizens visited Atlantic City Thursday, being 29 tickets sold at the station. The crowd was so large that it was necessary to run two sections, both being filled.

Seven business firms alone employ fifty-two Goldkey College graduates. Write to-day to Principal H. S. Goldkey, Middletown, Del., and ask for new, free, beautiful catalogue. See adv. this paper.

The Middletown Library will be open for the summer, on Tuesday from 4 to 5.30 o'clock in the afternoon; and from 7 to 9 on the evening of the same day. On Saturday afternoon from 4 to 5.30 o'clock.

The annual picnic of Forest Presbyterian Church will go to the College Park next Tuesday, and the days ending will be one of much enjoyment to all who accompany the school on this occasion.

It is the general opinion among those who make it a point to figure on crops that the tomato yield this year will be unusually short. This is said to be due to the long continued drought during the month of June.

At Bethesda M. E. Church to-morrow at 10.30 A. M., Dr. Barrett, the pastor, will preach. Subject, "David's Sling, and its Message." Twilight service, 7 to 8 P. M., concluding with a short address by the pastor. Come, and you will be welcomed.

Bethesda Epworth League meets in the lecture room of the M. E. Church every Sunday evening at 7.00 o'clock. Everybody is invited to attend. The topic for to-morrow evening is "Enemies and Arms." Eph. 6:10-18. Leader, W. B. Bates.

Mr. James A. Bradley is raising one of the liveliest of Mr. L. C. Scott. After the building has been raised some eighteen inches a new roof and other improvements will be made, which will all greatly to the appearance of this up-to-date livery.

Mrs. J. C. Stiles, Mrs. W. E. Barnard, Misses Martha Heaton, Maria Nowland, Mary Nowland, Eliza Green, Edith Derickson, Justine Peverly, Messrs. Lucian Green, Joe Conners, G. L. Cochran, F. S. Crouch, Julian Ford, T. H. Hardcastle and Jay Parker spent a delightful afternoon crabbing Thursday on Bohemia River.

Unclaimed Letters.—The following list of letters remains unclaimed in the post office for the week ending August 1st: Mrs. Walter C. Alexander, Mrs. Lillie Ballie, Miss Luezy Carthy, Mrs. Caroline Jones, Miss Mary Park, Mrs. Lizzie White, Albert Fleming, postal card; Ed. Bartholomew, W. D. Keller, John Parker, Johnnie Parker.

The Epworth League picnic did not go to Augustine Park as stated in our issue, owing to the heavy rain storm on Tuesday, and the juveniles who were to accompany the League were greatly disappointed. We are informed by those who have the arrangement in hand that the picnic will go to the Park one day next week, but the day has not been fixed.

NOTICE.—Having retired from the Fertilizer Business I take pleasure in referring and recommending all my friends and former patrons to Mr. Jesse L. Shepherd, for the purchase of Fertilizers manufactured by G. W. Gratfield & Co. which I have sold during the past 14 years, as he will have charge of their business in the future.

C. P. COCHRAN.
Middletown, Del., June 10, 1901.

Union Lodge, No. 5, A. F. & A. M., had a largely attended and interesting regular communication on Tuesday night, when the third degree was conferred on two candidates. Among the out of town visitors were: Governor John Hunn, W. S. Simmons and John M. Ross, of Wyoming; Curtis B. Holten and Mr. Fell, of Philadelphia. If the night had not been so stormy many more would have been present, but the room was comfortably filled. Refreshments were served after the Lodge closed.

Mr. J. Cowgill Alston has sold to Mr. W. Biggs a very fine colt by Nutwood Prince. The colt is three-years old, and in a trial recently showed the following time: 2:33.4, 2:27, and the following week won a race at Wilmington—time 2:30.3 and 2:28.3.

In speaking of the colt Friday, Mr. Biggs stated he was one of the most promising colts in this section, and with proper training should go very fast. He is a half brother to Rob Roy, who has a record of 2:21. Mr. Biggs purchased the colt for Senator S. S. Penniwell, of Greenwood, this State.

Mr. W. A. Cochran, Sr., who boards with Mrs. Sallie Hyatt on West Main street, has a small garden which is attracting considerable attention. Mr. Cochran's garden is in a cage of poultry wire which was formerly used as a pigeon cage, and undoubtedly the richness of the soil is the cause of the extraordinary growth of the tomato and cucumber vines planted therein. The cucumber vines have climbed to a height of some 15 feet up the cage and the yield surpasses all previous records for this section, while the tomato vines are more than seven feet high, and full of fine large tomatoes.

RUSHED INTO BURNING SHOP

Emory B. Riggins, Jr., was suffocated and burned to death in a fire in his father's carriage factory at Laurel early Wednesday morning. The young man lost his life by running into the burning building to secure some valuable papers. He was seen to reel, and is supposed to have been seized with an epileptic fit. He was dead before the horrified firemen could enter the building.

The destroyed factory was in a section closely built up with frame structures, and for a time looked as though all of that part of the town that escaped the great fire of two years ago, was doomed, but a heavy rain and the heroic work of the local fire department confined the flames to the one building.

When the body of the junior member was found it was lying between two columns, making a most gruesome sight. There was but \$700 insurance on the building and none on the contents.

The building was a large frame structure about 50x60 feet in size and was situated in Main street, about the center of the town. It was used by Mr. Riggins in the manufacture of carriages, furniture and coffins.

It is supposed that the fire was caused by someone throwing a match, which had been used to light a cigar, into a pile of shavings.

The father of the unfortunate man, Emory B. Riggins, was the speaker of the House of Representatives six years ago.

CYCLOPE ON BOMBAY HOOK ISLAND

A terrific wind storm, having every indication of a small cyclone, visited the vicinity of Bombay Hook Island Tuesday evening, doing considerable damage. The one suffering most from the devastating wind was Mr. James Slaughter, at the near approach of the storm, on the road to Woodland Beach. The cyclone came while the family were seated at the supper table, and hearing the storm they got to a place of safety. The table was cleared of everything and blown out into the yard. Not stopping here, the wind played havoc with the outbuildings, completely demolishing the carriage house and minor sheds. The shutters and doors were also blown off the residence. Fortunately no one was hurt.

Death of an aged Lady.
Miss Rebecca E. Shroy, who some weeks since fell and broke her leg, died at the residence of her nephew, Dennis J. Nowland, near town, on Saturday night last. Miss Slaughter was born June 6th, 1808, and at her death was in her 93rd year. She had been an invalid for a long time, requiring constant care and attention. She was born in Kent county, Md., and has lived there nearly her whole life. The funeral took place on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, services being held at Mr. Nowland's residence, interment was in St. Augustine Cemetery.

Kissed Them Good-Bye

Twelve girl friends of Miss Rebecca Milligan stood in line at the Delaware Avenue E. C. station, Wilmington, Tuesday, and kissed her and her father, the Rev. J. R. Milligan, good-bye as they left for San Francisco. On August 10th, they sail for Manila. In Manila Miss Milligan will become the bride of Lieutenant A. W. Foreman of the regular army. Dr. Milligan and his daughter will go to San Francisco by way of Buffalo, where they will stop to see the exposition.

After Lawyer Agents

Secretary of State Layton has issued notice that attorneys acting as agents for foreign corporations in securing charters will be required to pay \$50 annually for each corporation they represent. It is probable that some attorneys will refuse to pay the fee and Secretary Layton threatens to have their names presented to the court for action if they con-

PERSONALITIES

Miss Ethel Gill is visiting in Charlestown.
Miss Helen Smith is at Lewes for a week.
Miss Bertha Jones is visiting her aunt at Townsend.

Miss Florence D. Gill is visiting in Piedmont, W. Va.
Miss Annie Maxwell is spending some time at Atlantic City.

Mr. Horsey Brown, of Wilmington, spent Monday in town.
Miss Blanche Armstrong, of Delaware City, is visiting in town.

Mr. William Maxwell spent Sunday and Monday in Baltimore.
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shapley, of Smyrna, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Herman Conner is spending a few days with friends in Baltimore.
Mr. S. E. Massey, of Wilmington, spent Sunday with his mother.

Mrs. John B. Goff, spent Sunday with his family on East Main street.
Miss Carrie Mayhew, of Milford, is the guest of Miss Jeanette Schreitz.

Miss Lavica Wilson, of Heights town, is home on a two weeks vacation.
Mr. Charles W. Jones, of New York City, spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. J. B. Bratton and son, Lloyd, are visiting friends in Lambertville, N. J.
Miss Annie Serman, of Philadelphia, is visiting the family of Mr. M. Kumpel.

Mr. Wilson Bailey, of Philadelphia, is visiting the family of Mr. M. Kumpel.
Mr. F. D. Snydam, of Berwyn, Pa., is visiting his parents on Crawford street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Khole, of New York, are visiting his brother near town.
Miss Maggie Brothers, of Hopewell, N. J., is visiting the family of Mr. I. T. Wilson.

Miss Jennie Christopher, of Heights town, spent Sunday with Mrs. J. Crossland.
Miss Helen Meyer, of York, Pa., is the guest of Miss Helen Clayton on Green street.

Miss Virginia E. Jones, of Heights town, is visiting her parents on Lake street.
Mr. Charles E. Berry, of Mt. Vernon, Ill., spent Sunday with Mr. W. A. Hunkill, Jr.

Miss Mary Lippincott and Miss Bessie S. Anderson have returned from Washington.
Mr. Stephen Slaughter, of Dover, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Parker.

Miss Sophia Schriver, of Heights town, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Robert Bryan, near town.
Miss Elsie Boulden has returned home from a delightful visit with her aunt near St. Georges.

Mrs. Darlington and sister, Miss Virginia Jones, spent Thursday at Brandywine Springs.
Mrs. Harry Johnson and children, of Clayton, are visiting her sister, Mrs. P. L. McWhorter.

Mr. D. Warren Wilson and wife, of Elkton, have been visiting his parents in town this week.
Miss Martha C. Heaton will start on Monday for a month's visit to Camden and other points.

The Misses Hyatts, of New York, are visiting their aunt, Miss Sallie Hyatt on North Broad street.
Mr. J. W. Naudan and family, of Baltimore, are spending some time with her mother, Mrs. Houston.

Mr. Walter Monroe left on Monday for the Pan-American Exposition, and will be absent for ten days.
Mr. Paul Weber has returned home from a week's visit to Atlantic City and other points of interest.

Mr. F. C. West and daughter, Miss Carrie, of Wilmington, were guests of relatives in town this week.
Mr. and Mrs. E. Willis Pharo and son, of Philadelphia, are visiting their parents at "Black House," near town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Messick have returned from a two weeks stay at the Catskill Mountains and Atlantic City.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mendenhall, of Wilmington, are spending some time with her father, Mr. Charles P. Cochran.

Miss L. Marie Ford, of near Smyrna, spent several days of this week with the family of A. H. Donovan near town.
Mr. Adam Reed who has been very ill for the past two months, we are sorry to state, is a very sick man at this writing.

Mrs. L. C. Scott and daughter Miss Ada, are spending ten days at St. Michael's, Md., as the guests of Mrs. J. R. Dawson.
Miss E. May Conner has returned from an extended visit with friends and relatives in Still Pond and Kennedysville, Md.

Mrs. Mark L. Lofland and little granddaughter Helen Barrett, of Milford, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. L. E. Barrett this week.
Mrs. David Allen spent several days of this week with her mother, at Townsend, who has been quite sick but is somewhat better.

Dr. Clara Moore who has been home some time on account of her health, left town on Thursday for Denver, where she will resume practice.

CECILTON SIGHTINGS

Mrs. Frank Bennett is seriously ill at her home near town.
Miss Emma Linsy is entertaining friends from Philadelphia.

Miss McKelley is the guest of Miss Edith Duhaway near town.
Miss Mollie Richards has as her guest Miss Elsie Richards, of Wilmington.

Miss Katie Taylor, of Media, Pa., is the guest of Mrs. Maggie Myers in town.
Miss Beniah Fillingame is enjoying her visit with Miss Minnie Walker at Cayots.

Miss Annie Smith, of Galena, is being entertained by her cousin, Miss May Smith.
Mr. and Mrs. William Brown are entertaining their mother and sister, Mrs. Jennie Brown.

Mrs. Robert Ferguson is spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Myerly, of Simpsonton, Howard County.
Mrs. Clara Rowan, wife of Harry Rowan, died at her home in Cecilton after a short illness of ten days on Sunday morning, August 5th, and was buried on Wednesday afternoon. Services were held at the M. E. Church in Cecilton. Interment at the Presbyterian Cemetery at Georgetown.

BASE BALL

MIDDLETOWN 9, TOWNSEND 10.
At Townsend last Saturday fully 500 people witnessed one of the most interesting ball games ever played in the Appomattox State, in which the Middletown club was defeated by the score of 10 to 9. The game was full of heavy hitting and costly errors, and not until the last out was out in the ninth inning could the winning club be picked.

Stevens pitched a fine game for Middletown and had been given support by four more runs. After the fifth inning Magee did fine work, and managed to keep the 14 hits made off his delivery well scattered.

A noticeable feature of the game was the good order, and the gentlemanly conduct of all visitors, and it is to be hoped that the two clubs may meet many times during the present season, and play friendly games.

The score by innings follows:
Middletown 2 4 0 0 0 1 0 2 —9
Townsend 2 0 0 0 5 2 0 1 —10

TOWNSEND NEWS BUDGET

Miss McCoy, of Odessa, visited here on Tuesday evening.
Miss Emma Townsend is the guest of friends at Bear Swamp on Sunday.

Miss Ethel Bond, of Baltimore, is visiting Mrs. John Lattimore.
Mr. Loller, of Greensboro, Md., is visiting Mrs. George M. Watts.

Mrs. Yearsley, of Wilmington, is the guest of Mrs. Mary Moore.
Mrs. Jane Foxwell, of Philadelphia, is visiting her many friends here.

Pitcher John Townsend of the "Phillies" spent Sunday at his home here.
Mrs. Harry Hart, of Philadelphia, is touring for several weeks in this section.

Mr. James Townsend, of Wilmington, has been visiting relatives and friends here.
Mrs. Arie Hill, of Baltimore, is being entertained by her many Townsend friends.

Miss Emma Choate, of Newark, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Jones on Delaware avenue.
Miss Ethelwyn Maloney has returned after a delightful visit among friends at Harlock, Md.

Mr. Jackson Collins, Superintendent at the Fairmount Hospital, has been visiting relatives here.
Miss Margaret Townsend has returned from a delightful visit among her friends at Wilmington.

Mrs. H. K. Huston and daughter, of Ridley Park, Pa., are visiting her sister, Mrs. Howard Townsend.
Miss Ethel Carpenter, of Philadelphia, is being delightfully entertained by the Misses Margaret and Myrtle Townsend.

Miss Emma Weldon, of Philadelphia, is visiting her mother and other relatives who are the guests of her many friends at this place.
Misses Lena Foster and Florence Martine have returned to their homes in Wilmington after passing an enjoyable season here with the guests of Miss Leta Outten.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gill held the sixth anniversary of their marriage on Thursday, and their many friends were present and all heartily enjoyed themselves during the day and in departing their many guests wished them many, many more years of equally delightful occasions. They received many very nice presents.

Before Magistrate Bratton on Tuesday a very interesting case was heard. A charge of desertion was made against George Reed by his young wife, who claimed that Reed had left her several weeks previously. The magistrate saw the influence to bring about a reconciliation, and this mandate of law looking to a peaceful solution of their differences finally prevailed and the wife soon withdrew the charge. Reed and his wife became as friendly as ever, as Reed had promised to treat his "better half" in a more creditable manner, and as they departed it was plain to the spectators and the magistrate, that all had been forgiven and the happily departed smiling and equally much contented.

WARWICK HAPPENINGS

Miss Beulah Crawford visited in town on Tuesday.
Mr. Harry Kirby spent Tuesday in Wilmington.

Mrs. Hannah Staats is quite ill at her home in town.
Mrs. Lydia Covelade is spending this week in Smyrna.

Miss Elsie Marsh returned home from Westminister to-day.
Miss Isabel Meyer, of Philadelphia, returned home on Saturday.

Miss Helen Eaton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Blackburn, of New Castle.
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dulany, of Baltimore, are spending a week with relatives.

Miss Mamie G. Steele, of Chesapeake City, is visiting at the home of Mrs. Arabella Piser.
Mrs. Dorcas Curry and grandson Atwell Stafford, have returned to their home in Philadelphia, after having spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Merritt.

May Change Signal Colors.
Directors of the Pennsylvania railroad for sometime past have been considering the advisability of replacing the red signal lights along its lines. The proposition is to make green light safety instead of white; in fact to do away with the white light altogether, replacing the green with yellow light for caution, but to retain the red to signify danger.

Admitted His Guilt.
"Pud" Davis, the Howard Co., Md., negro charged with attempting a felonious assault, who was arrested on Wednesday night, Thursday admitted his guilt when confronted by his intended victim, a little white girl named Nora Cross. She is the daughter of Hanson Cross, of the Third district of Howard county. Justice Baker committed Davis to jail.

School Tax!

United School Districts, Nos. 60, 61 and 64, Middletown, Delaware. On all School Tax paid to the undersigned, on or before the TENTH DAY OF AUGUST, 1901, there will be allowed a REBATE OF 8 PER CENT. No other notice will be given.

ALFRED G. COX, Receiver.

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ODESSA NOTES

Mr. Frank Reed is in Baltimore.
Miss Louise T. VanDyke is at home for a two months vacation.
Mrs. Elizabeth Morris who has been quite sick is very much better.

Mrs. Tybout, of Washington, D. C., is being entertained by Mrs. D. W. Corbit.
Mrs. May G. Enos is visiting her brother, Mr. T. Courtenay Enos, at Lewes.

Miss Bennett, of Philadelphia, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Clarence Williams.
Mr. William S. VanDyke is at home after having spent several weeks at Mt. Pocomo.

Rev. William O. Hurst has returned from Carmichael, where he spent his vacation.
Miss Nathalie H. Woodall, of Washington, D. C., is the guest of Miss Amelia Vandegrift.

Rev. R. L. Hallett and brother Dr. William Hallett, of Wilmington, were in town over Sunday.
Miss Annie Greening who for the last two weeks has been the victim of typhoid fever, is no better.

The Rev. Dr. Stevenson, of Haddonfield, N. J., will occupy the pulpit in the M. E. Church on Sunday morning.
Mrs. Payne Greene and daughters Estelle and May, of Philadelphia, who have been spending the summer in Odessa, returned home Saturday.

The Board of Town Commissioners are preparing to put up several arc lights at the intersection of our streets which will be a much needed improvement. If they will now turn their attention to the pavements which are in many places very much out of order they will confer a favor upon pedestrians.

Mr. Watkins will commence canning corn on Monday and Mr. Baker will open his cannery on Tuesday or Wednesday, which events will make our town very lively for the next six weeks. Also, the "Clio" is going to be a good news.

The cargo on Thursday last was particularly heavy and the wharf presented a very busy appearance, as team after team discharged its load of wheat or fruit.

CURRENT PRICES

MIDDLETOWN GRAIN MARKET.
CORRECTED WEEKLY BY JOHN W. JOLLS.
Wheat—No. 1, 70¢; No. 2, 68¢; Yellow, 62¢; Timothy Seed 80¢; Clover Seed 13¢; Oats 40¢.

MIDDLETOWN PRODUCE MARKET.
CORRECTED WEEKLY BY W. T. CONNELLEY.
Eggs, per doz. 14¢; Country Butter, per lb. 20¢; Creamery Butter, per lb. 23¢; Lard, per lb. 10¢; Live Chickens, per lb. 14¢; Potatoes, per basket. 40¢.

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Blackbird Hundred!

The taxable residents of Blackbird Hundred, and all persons liable to pay tax in said Hundred, are hereby notified that the Taxes for the year 1901 are due and the undersigned Tax Collector for said Hundred will be

AT DELANEY'S
ON MONDAY, AUGUST 19th, 1901,
From 1.30 to 4 o'clock, P. M.

AT BLACKBIRD
ON WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28th, 1901,
From 1.30 to 4 o'clock, P. M.

AT FLEMING'S LANDING
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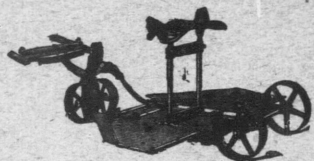


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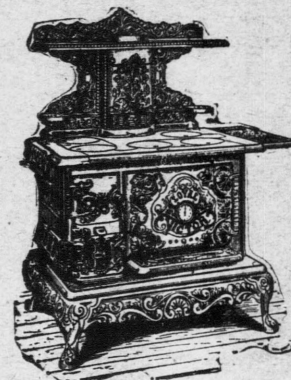
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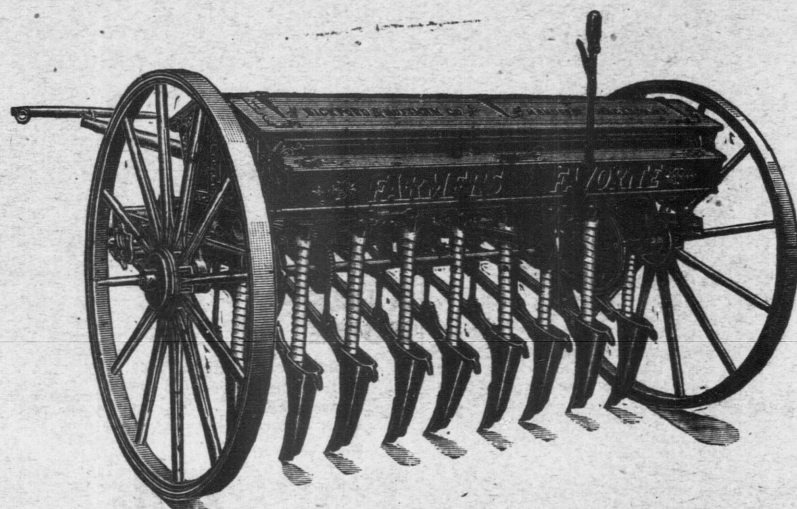
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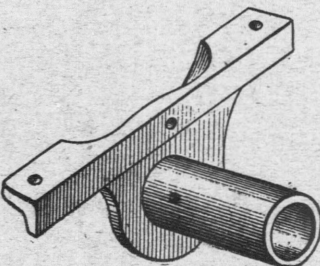


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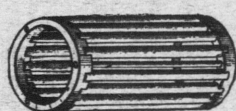


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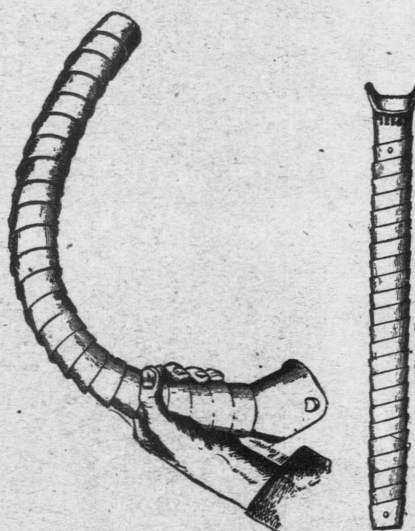


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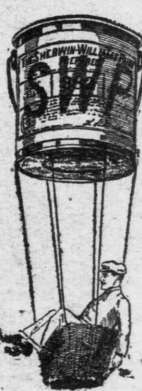
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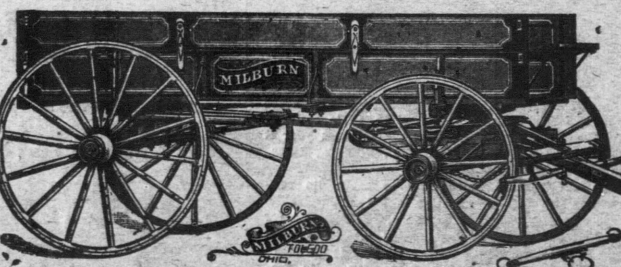
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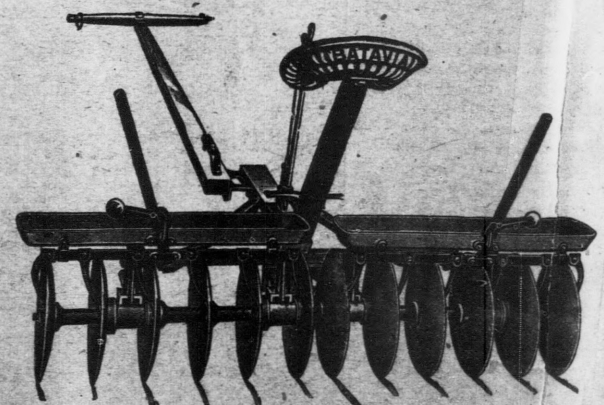


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